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1. Localvariables

```
1 // SPDX-License-Identifier: MIT
2 pragma solidity ^0.8.7;
3
4 contract Localvariables {
5     uint public i;
6     bool public b;
7     address public myAddress;
8
9     function foo() external {    ↳ infinite gas
10        uint x = 123;
11        bool f = false;
12
13        x += 456;
14        f = true;
15
16        i = 123;
17        b = true;
18        myAddress = address(1);
19    }
20 }
```

2. GlobalVariables

```
1 // SPDX-License-Identifier: MIT
2 pragma solidity ^0.8.7;
3
4 contract GlobalVariables {
5     function globalVars() external view returns (address, uint, uint) {    ↳ infinite gas
6         address sender = msg.sender;
7         uint timestamp = block.timestamp;
8         uint blockNum = block.number;
9         return (sender, timestamp, blockNum);
10    }
11 }
```

Reflection:

The contracts show the difference between global and local variables in Solidity. Global variables like `msg.sender`, `block.timestamp`, and `block.number` connect the contract to the blockchain environment, giving context such as caller identity, time, and block height. Local variables, like `x` and `f` inside a function, exist only temporarily, while state variables such as `i`, `b`, and `myAddress` persist on-chain. Together, they

teach that Solidity balances blockchain context, short-term logic, and permanent storage to build reliable applications.

```
function add(uint a, uint b) public pure returns (uint) {    ↳ infinite gas
    return a + b;
}
```

```
function getBalance(address account) public view returns (uint) {    ↳ 3247 gas
    return account.balance;
}
```

```
function multiply(uint a, uint b) internal pure returns (uint) {    ↳ infinite gas
    return a * b;
}
```

Reflection :

Pure functions are isolated and predictable, serving as logical tools that rely only on inputs, while view functions act as observers, allowing contracts to read and reflect the current state of the blockchain. Together, they show how Solidity separates computation from state awareness, teaching that clarity in function type ensures both efficiency and trust in smart contract design.